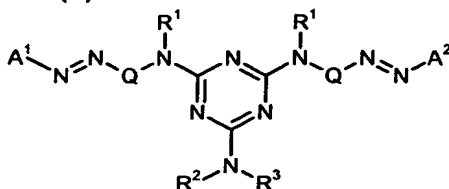


CLAIMS

1. A compound of Formula (1):

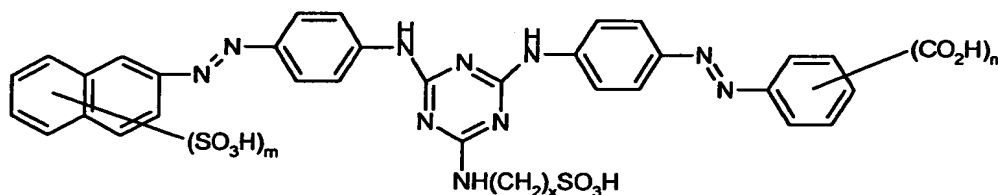


Formula (1)

wherein:

- A<sup>1</sup> and A<sup>2</sup> are each independently optionally substituted phenyl or naphthyl;  
 each Q independently is optionally substituted phenylene;  
 each R<sup>1</sup> independently is H or optionally substituted alkyl;  
 R<sup>2</sup> is H or optionally substituted alkyl; and  
 R<sup>3</sup> is alkyl carrying a sulpho group;

provided that the compound of Formula (1) carries at least one carboxylic acid group; and  
 provided the compound of Formula (1) is not a compound of Formula (2) or a salt thereof:



Formula (2)

wherein:

- m is 1 or 2;  
 n is 1 or 2; and  
 x is 2 to 4.

2. A compound according to claim 1 wherein A<sup>1</sup> and A<sup>2</sup> are different to each other.

3. A compound according to either claim 1 or claim 2 wherein one of A<sup>1</sup> and A<sup>2</sup> carries at least one carboxylic acid group and the other is free from carboxylic acid groups.

4. A compound according to Claim 1 wherein A<sup>1</sup> and A<sup>2</sup> are the same as each other.

5. A composition comprising a compound of Formula (1) as defined in any of claims 1 to 4 and a liquid medium.
- 5 6. A process for printing an image on a substrate comprising applying thereto a composition according to claim 5.
7. An ink jet printer cartridge, optionally refillable, comprising one or more chambers and a composition, wherein the composition is present in at least one of the chambers and  
10 the composition is as defined in claim 5.
8. An paper, an overhead projector slide or a textile material printed with a composition according to claim 5 or by means of a process according to claim 6.